

## DELEGATES

Montpelier Republicans Have  
Chosen Men for District and  
State Conventions.

## SITUATION IN THE WEST

**F. A. Howland Says Nebraskans De-  
clare that Bryan Will Not Support  
Hearst—Strong for Roosevelt—  
Plans for State Y. M. C. A.  
Convention in Montpelier.**

Montpelier, April 18.—A republican citizens' meeting was held this evening to discuss the question of electing delegates to the district and State next year's conventions to be held next week. J. W. Brown was elected chairman and H. C. Tracy secretary.

The delegates elected to the district convention at Montpelier next Tuesday are: Col. Fred E. Smith, F. L. Leland, S. A. Alexander, S. S. Ballard, W. N. Thayer, H. C. Tracy, H. B. Wadsworth, J. Morse and W. S. Webster.

Those elected to the State convention at Burlington, April 29 are: J. W. Bradlee, E. M. Corey, C. F. Tuttle, J. M. Boutwell, J. W. Allen, A. C. Gatchell, H. H. Grosvenor, Benjamin Gates and H. E. Farwell.

These 13 were all instructed to choose their own alternates.

the political situation there. Mr. Howland said he found an overwhelming sentiment for Roosevelt among the republicans and a great interest among democrats in the coming national democratic convention. At Omaha and other cities in Mr. Bryan's home State he was repeatedly told by democrats that Mr. Bryan will not support or endorse Hearst. That Mr. Bryan is an honest man and cannot conscientiously follow the New York American man.

elects tonight is made up of J. C. Brown, chairman at large; from ward one, N. A. Alexander; ward two, J. McVie; ward three, W. N. Theriault; ward four, Henry Holt; ward five, E. H. Dench; ward six, E. H. Tapp.

**GRANITE BUSINESS RESUMED.**  
Barre, April 13.—When the granite cutters and tool sharpeners returned to work this morning, business to the extent that was taken last night, they were accompanied by the lumpers, boxers and derrick men who yesterday notified the manufacturers that they had a grievance against the manufacturers' association for having "locked out" business in the granite industry in this city and vicinity was resumed this morning.

**STATE Y. M. C. CONVENTION**  
Will Be Held in Montpelier April 29 and May 1.—Some of the Speak-

Montpelier, April 13.—The State executive committee of the Y. M. C. A. has issued its preliminary announcement of the annual convention to be held at Montpelier on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, April 20, 21 and May 1. The opening as

The number of delegates is not limited. Each association in the State is entitled to as many properly accredited delegates chosen from its active membership.

The convention is to be self-financing. The state committee headquarters will be at the Pennell, and Secretary Harry R. Toller of this city has secured reduced rates at hotels, boarding houses and restaurants.

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Two meetings for men will be held Sunday afternoon, one at Montpelier, addressed by Fred R. Smith of New York religious department international secretary, and one at Burre addressed

What can be done by associations, shops and factories will be told by A. Wardle, State secretary of New Hampshire. The music during the convocation will be in charge of F. M. Willis of the Willis Brothers quartette of New York. He will be assisted by local musical organizations.

Delegations from students, departments

members of the Montpelier Seminary association if names are sent early to Wallace H. Gilpin, secretary.

**ITALIAN PLEADS NOT GUILTY.**—Montpelier, April 15.—The Italian name Rochelo Salvatore, who was arrested last evening for shooting at Conductor Henry of the Morris & Montpelier electric road, was in city court to-day charged

not guilty. He was held for the action of the grand jury next September, his bail being fixed at \$2,500, which he was unable to raise and was remanded to the State's Attorney Center will file an

**SHELDON DELEGATES.**

Sheldon, April 13.—At a republican caucus held this evening the following delegates were chosen to attend the State convention: George E. Stebbins, H. Marsh and S. P. Thomas, delegates choose their own alternates.

Convention are the Hon. A. F. Durkee, Hon. E. M. Brown and W. C. Marsh, delegates to choose their own alternates.  
 Clerk—George E. Stebbins.  
 Chairman—W. C. Marsh.

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POSTMASTER: AT WEST BROOK-  
 FIELD, N. H.

Washington, April 11.—Postmaster appointed to-day: Vermont, West Brookfield, Clinton B. Smead.